

H. B. No. 22, "An Act providing for the allocation of the occupation taxes levied and collected under Chapter 88, Acts of the Second Called Session, Forty-first Legislature and Chapter 98, Acts of the Regular Session, Forty-second Legislature, providing the manner of distribution; providing that such monies that are transferred to the counties shall be taken into consideration in fixing the tax rate of such counties, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

COX of Lamar, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, September 28, 1931.

Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 76, "An Act making an appropriation of the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary out of the General Revenue to pay the per diem and mileage of members; the per diem of officers and employees; and the contingent expense of the Second Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature of the State of Texas, convened on the 8th day of September, 1931, by proclamation of the Governor; to supplement the like appropriation of the Regular and First Called Sessions of said Legislature; to pay any unpaid vouchers or warrants held by members, officers, or employees of the Regular and First Called Sessions of said Legislature; to pay any unpaid claims or accounts of members, officers, or employees of said session or of other persons authorized either by the Senate or the House of Representatives; to pay any and all sums for whatever purpose authorized to be expended by concurrent resolution of the Forty-second Legislature at its Second Called Session; to pay the per diem of members, officers, or employees for pre-session and post-session work of the second Called Session of said Forty-second Legislature; providing how accounts may be approved and audited, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

COX of Lamar, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, September 28, 1931.

Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 44, "An Act to amend Chapter 47, of the Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, as amended by Chapter 140, of the Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, so as to provide that neither said act, nor said act so amended, shall apply to nor affect any county in this State which is subject to the provisions of Chapter 82, of the General and Special Laws of the Regular Session of the Fortieth Legislature, being Senate bill No. 375, of said session, published on page 124 of said laws, and to validate all consolidations of school districts and other acts of the county board of school trustees of all counties subject to the provisions of said Chapter 82, heretofore consummated or performed, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

COX of Lamar, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, September 28, 1931.

Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 79, "An Act to amend Section 39, Chapter 212, page 355, Acts, 1931, Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

COX of Lamar, Chairman.

THIRTEENTH DAY.

(Continued.)

(Tuesday, September 29, 1931.)

The House met at 9 o'clock a. m., and was called to order by Speaker Minor.

(Mr. Sanders in the chair.)

PROVIDING FOR POST-SESSION WORK FOR CERTAIN EMPLOYEES.

Mr. Warwick offered the following resolution:

Whereas, It is necessary that certain officers and employes perform certain duties in order to complete the work of their departments; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the following officers and employes be retained after the adjournment of the Second Called Session, not to exceed the number of days herein specified, exclusive of Sundays:

The Chief Clerk, five days, for the purpose of collecting and arranging all bills, resolutions and petitions in her possession and delivering the same to the Secretary of State, and to complete other duties imposed on her by resolutions and by the rules of the House; the assistant to the Chief Clerk two days.

The clerk to the Contingent Expense Committee, five days, for the purpose of checking and posting up accounts, mailing out vouchers and closing up the affairs of the Committee on Contingent Expense, and the stenographer to the Contingent Expense Committee, three days, to assist her.

The Warrent Clerk, six days, to complete the posting of her books.

The Mailing Clerk and assistant mailing clerk, two days each, for the purpose of mailing out House Journals not received from the printer until after sine die adjournment.

The voting machine operator, three days, for the purpose of cleaning the voting machine.

The secretary, clerk and porter to the Speaker, one day each, to assist him in winding up the affairs of his office.

The mimeograph operator, one day, to clean and box mimeograph machine.

The superintendent of stenographers and pages, one day each.

Enrolling and Engrossing Clerks, two days each, for the purpose of indexing and filing with the Chief Clerk all bills and resolutions in their department.

The Calendar Clerk, two days, and the Assistant Calendar Clerk, two days, for the purpose of completing their records and delivering all records, bills and resolutions in their possession to the Chief Clerk.

The Sergeant-at-Arms and the bookkeeper to the Sergeant-at-Arms, five days; one storekeeper, one day, to assist them, and they shall be charged with the duty of arranging

for publication in the Journal of such stationery and supply accounts as are now required to be published or which have been ordered published by the House, also the expense account for the stationery and supplies for each employe or member of the Second Called Session. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall collect all supplies and stationery left over, which shall be locked in the Sergeant-at-Arms' room, and he shall collect and deliver all furniture now in possession of the House to the Board of Control, taking a receipt for all such items, and an inventory of all such items shall be printed in the Permanent Journal, and the Sergeant-at-Arms may retain six porters for four days.

That 250 copies of the House Journal of the Second Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, when completed, shall be printed and shall be bound in full law sheep, and that one volume, when thus bound, shall be forwarded by the Journal Clerk of the House to each member of the House of Representatives, to each elective officer of the House, and to each Senator, and the remaining shall be turned over to the Secretary of State.

The printing of such House Journals in permanent form shall be done in accordance with pre-existing laws and with the provisions of this resolution, under the supervision of the Journal Clerk of the House.

It is further provided, that it shall be the duty of the Journal Clerk of the House not to receive or receipt for said House Journals until correctly published as required herein and by pre-existing law; provided, that the Journal Clerk shall be empowered to leave out of the Permanent Journal all bills which have been printed in the daily Journal.

When said Journals have been published and the account approved by the State Printing Board, the same shall be paid out of the Contingent Expense Fund of the Second Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature that is available; providing, that the Chairman of the Committee on Contingent Expense shall not issue voucher for said amount until the Journal Clerk has certified to him that the Journals have been published and delivered in accordance with the provisions of this resolution.

The Journal Clerk and his assistant shall be retained for not more

than eighteen days each, exclusive of Sundays, after sine die adjournment, for the purpose of correcting and indexing and the supervision of the publication of the Journals of the House of Representatives of the Second Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, and shall receive the same salary as received during the session, payable out of the Contingent Expense Fund, on bills in duplicate, with the usual affidavit attached.

That each employe so retained shall receive the same amount of salary as received for like work during this session, to be paid out of any sum appropriated for mileage and per diem of the members and officers and employes of the Second Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Burns of McCulloch offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend resolution by changing Warrant Clerk from "6 days" to "3 days."

On motion of Mr. Adams of Jasper, the amendment was tabled.

Mr. Carpenter offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend resolution by changing the words "law sheep" to "buckram."

The amendment was adopted.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15 WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS.

Mr. Sparkman called up from the Speaker's table, with Senate amendments, for consideration of the amendments,

H. C. R. No. 15, To prevent the spread of Johnson grass.

The Speaker laid the resolution before the House, and the Senate amendments were read.

On motion of Mr. Sparkman, the House concurred in the Senate amendments.

RELATIVE TO SALE OF PROPERTY FOR COLONIZATION PURPOSES.

Mr. Metcalfe offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 30, Relative to sale of real estate for colonization purposes.

Whereas, There are many large tracts of undeveloped land in Texas that are subject to being subdivided; and

Whereas, If such tracts are sold for colonization purposes the Federal income tax on the profits of the sales is so excessive that it prevents the owners of many such tracts from offering them for sale; and

Whereas, If such tracts were offered for development it would encourage many more citizens to come to Texas and develop our resources; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, the Senate concurring, That we memorialize the Congress of the United States to exempt the profits of sales made on real estate for colonization purposes from payment of the Federal income tax.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Ratliff, the resolution was referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

(Speaker in the chair.)

RELATIVE TO PAYMENT OF RENTALS ON CERTAIN OIL LEASES.

Mr. Wagstaff offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 31, Relative to the payment of rentals on certain oil leases.

Whereas, Section 3, of Chapter 23, of the General Laws of the State of Texas, passed by the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, being Section 3, of Senate bill No. 310, of said session, provided for the payment of certain consideration and rentals on oil and gas leases theretofore executed, said payments to be made within six months from the date of the passage of said act; and

Whereas, Some question has been raised as to the amount of consideration and rentals payable under the terms of said act, and the claim has been made that the amount of such consideration and rentals may be affected by a litigation which is now pending, and said litigation will not be permanently decided for some time, and said situation creates a state of uncertainty as to what amounts should be collected and paid under the terms of said Section 3,

of said Senate bill No. 310; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the Forty-second Legislature, the Senate concurring, That the date of payment of all sums payable under the provisions of Section 3, of Chapter 23, of the General Laws of the State of Texas, Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, be and the same is hereby extended to June 1, 1932.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

RELATIVE TO THE PAY OF THE SECRETARY OF THE GENERAL MANAGER OF THE PRISON SYSTEM.

Mr. Sanders offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 32, Relative to the pay of the secretary of the general manager of the Prison System.

Whereas, In the general appropriation bill providing support for the Texas Prison System, the bill as passed provides for a secretary to the general manager at \$150 per month, and a stenographer to the purchasing agent at \$125 per month. It appears that the secretary to the general manager has been paid for several years a salary of \$200 per month; and it further appears that the stenographer to the purchasing agent is not now needed, and the general manager of the Prison System advises that the secretary to the general manager is doing the work of both places and is of the opinion that the secretary to the general manager should receive \$200 per month, and the stenographer to the purchasing agent be eliminated; and,

Whereas, It appears that the appropriation for the dentist in the past has been \$3600 per year, and the manager of the Prison System advises that he has been paying \$3000 per year, and it is the desire of the manager to continue him on the basis of \$3000 per year, and through an error the salary for the dentist was fixed at \$2700 per year in the appropriation bill when it should have been \$3000; now, therefore be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That it is the sense of the Legislature that the Prison Board and the general manager of the Prison System be authorized to pay the secretary to

the general manager on the basis of \$200 per month, or \$2400 per year, and discontinue the stenographer to the purchasing agent, thus eliminating \$150 per month, or \$1800 per year, and that the dentist be paid upon a basis of \$3000 per year instead of \$2700 per year.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

RELATIVE TO THE DRILLING FOR OIL ON PRISON FARMS.

Mr. Burns of Walker offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 33, To permit the drilling for oil on prison farms.

Whereas, The financial condition of the General Fund of the State of Texas is in a deplorable condition; and

Whereas, All kinds of business is undergoing a depression throughout this State and Nation; and

Whereas, The Fourth Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature passed Senate bill No. 29, providing for the leasing of lands belonging to the Texas Prison System; and

Whereas, It is conceded and a well-known fact that several of the prison farms are underlaid with rich mineral deposits, which, if developed, would bring into the General Fund several millions of dollars; and

Whereas, Several years ago, the State of Texas lost several millions of dollars by not developing the Blue Ridge Prison Farm for mineral purposes; therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Board for Leasing of Texas Prison Lands be called upon to lease said prison lands by the first day of January, 1932, and if said board is unable to lease said prison lands by the first day of January, 1932, then in that event the Texas Prison Board is hereby directed to use and utilize the machinery and men to explore and drill for oil on the prison farms.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

(Mr. Sanders in the chair.)

TO PETITION THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO ADVOCATE ISSUANCE OF CERTAIN BONDS.

Mr. Dwyer offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 34, Relative to the issuance of certain bonds.

Whereas, This country has undergone a period of financial depression, the end of which does not seem to be in sight; and

Whereas, This depression has contributed to the unemployment in the country to such an extent that millions of men are now out of employment as the winter months approach; and

Whereas, There is much needed public construction that could well be done and completed at this time by the Federal government; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of Texas, the Senate concurring, That we hereby petition the Federal government, through our United States Senators in Congress, to advocate the issuance of six billion dollars (\$6,000,000,000) in government bonds, the proceeds of which are to be invested in immediate public improvements and in new construction and improvement of Federal highways.

The resolution was read second time, and was lost.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.
Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has concurred in House amendments to Senate bill No. 11 by a viva voce vote.

Respectfully,
BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON SENATE BILL NO. 13.

Mr. West of Cameron, chairman, submitted the following conference committee report on Senate bill No. 13:

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 28, 1931.
Hon. Edgar E. Witt, President of the Senate, and Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, your Conference Committee on Senate bill No. 13, have had

the same under consideration, and have adjusted the differences between the House and Senate, and recommend the passage of the hereto attached bill, which is made a part of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

RAWLINGS,
PURL,
WOODRUFF,
POAGE,

On the part of the Senate.

WEST of Cameron,
KENNEDY,
FARRAR,
SAVAGE,
GRAVES,

On the part of the House.

S. B. No. 13.

A BILL

To Be Entitled

"An Act to amend Article 7332, Chapter 10, Title 122, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by the Act of the Forty-first Legislature passed at its Regular Session, and found in the published laws of said session, Chapter 143, pages 307-8, and as amended by the Acts of the Fourth Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, as the same appears in the published laws of said session, Chapter 20, page 37, and as amended by the Forty-second Legislature at its Regular Session as same appears in the published laws of said session, Chapter 258, page 428; providing for the filing of suits to collect delinquent taxes; providing for the fees of office for the various officers herein named; and providing that the officers herein named shall not be entitled to the fees provided for herein in delinquent tax suits until notice has been given to the owner for the time and in the manner provided by law; and further providing that the county attorney, criminal district attorney, or district attorney shall not be entitled to such fees when said taxes are collected under contract between the commissioners court and others; and further providing that the statute of limitation shall not apply in suits by counties against any such officers to recover any such sums in their hands; to repeal all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 7332, Chapter 10 of Title 122 of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, 1925, as amended by the Acts of the Forty-first Legislature passed at its Regular Session and found in the published laws of said session, Chapter 143, pages 307-8, and as amended by the Acts of the Fourth Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, as the same appear in the published laws of said session, Chapter 20, page 37, and as amended by the Acts of the Forty-second Legislature passed at its Regular Session and found in the published laws of said session, Chapter 258, page 428, be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

"Article 7332. Other Fees.—The county or district attorney shall represent the State and county in all suits against delinquent taxpayers, and all sums collected shall be paid over immediately to the county collector.

"Before filing suits for the recovery of delinquent taxes for any year, notice shall be given to the owner or owners of said property as is provided for in Article 7324, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Chapter 117, page 196, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Regular Session. The fees herein provided for shall not accrue to nor shall the various officers herein named be entitled thereto in any suit unless it be proved that notice has been given to the owner for the time and in the manner provided by law.

"In all cases, the compensation of said attorney shall be two dollars (\$2) for the first tract and one dollar (\$1) for each additional tract up to four (4), but said fee in no case to exceed five dollars (\$5). And provided, that in any suit brought against any individual or corporate owner, all past due taxes for all previous years on such tract or tracts shall be included; and provided, further, that where there are several lots in the same addition or subdivision delinquent, belonging to the same owner, all said delinquent lots shall be made the subject of a single suit.

"All fees provided for the officers herein shall be treated as fees of office and accounted for as such, and

said officers shall not receive nor retain said fees in excess of the maximum compensation allowed said officers under the laws of this State; and provided further that the county attorney, criminal district attorney or district attorney shall not be entitled to the fees herein provided for in instances where such delinquent taxes are collected under contracts between the commissioners court and others for the collection of such taxes, and in such instances the fees herein provided for such officers shall not be assessed nor collected.

"The sheriff or constable of the county in which the suit is pending shall receive a fee of two dollars (\$2) in each case which will cover the service of all process, and the selling of the property and executing deeds for same. If, in any such suit, process is issued to be served in counties other than the one in which the suit is pending, the sheriff or constable serving the same shall receive a fee of one dollar (\$1) in each suit for his services.

"The district clerk shall receive a fee of two dollars (\$2) in full for his services in each case.

"The county clerk shall receive one dollar (\$1) in full for his services in each case.

"Provided that the fees herein provided for in connection with delinquent tax suits shall constitute the only fees that shall be charged by said officers for preparing, filing, instituting, and prosecuting suits on delinquent taxes and securing collection thereof, and all laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

"In case the delinquent taxpayer shall pay to the collector the amount of delinquent taxes for which he is liable, together with accrued interest after the filing of suit before judgment is taken against him in the case, then, only one-half of the fees taxable in such a case, as provided for herein, shall be charged against him."

Sec. 2. In suits by counties against any of the officers herein named to recover monies or fees collected by any such officers, limitation of action shall not apply, and no such suit shall be barred by the statute of limitation.

Sec. 3. All laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. The fact that the former law, particularly in its amended form,

has proved to be oppressive in its operation as applied to citizens generally and more especially those of the poorer class, and has led to piling up swollen revenues in hands of officers in the large counties, which abuses should not be further continued; and the further fact that Section 1, of Chapter 258, page 428, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature, conflicts with Chapter 117, page 196, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, with reference to the time and manner of giving notice to the delinquent taxpayer, which has resulted in much confusion among the several tax-collecting agencies of this State, create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days shall be suspended, and said rule is hereby suspended and this acts shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Mr. West of Cameron moved that the report be adopted.

Mr. Jones of Atascosa moved that the report be not adopted, and that a new committee be appointed to adjust the differences.

Question first recurring on the motion by Mr. Jones of Atascosa, it was lost.

Question then recurring on the motion by Mr. West of Cameron, it prevailed.

BILLS AND RESOLUTION SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER.

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bills and resolution:

S. B. No. 43, "An Act amending Chapter 286, General Laws, Forty-second Legislature, at page 678, printed laws thereof, by striking therefrom restrictions on State auditor's use of appropriation made for oil and gas royalty audit, and declaring an emergency."

S. B. No. 11, "An Act to amend Section 2, Chapter 34, of Acts of the First Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature of the State of Texas, said chapter being entitled 'An Act to create a more efficient road system for McLennan county, Texas,' by changing the figures eighteen hundred dollars (\$1800) to six

hundred dollars (\$600) wherever they appear, and adding thereto a provision prohibiting the use of county-owned automobiles or any form of county-supplied transportation by the county commissioners of McLennan county, and prohibiting the receipt by such commissioners of compensation not herein provided for, repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. C. R. No. 18, Relative to certain map of Brazoria county.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.

Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has refused to concur in House amendments to Senate bill No. 45 and requests the appointment of a conference committee. The following have been appointed on the part of the Senate: Senators Hornsby, Beck, Neal, Small, and Parrish.

The Senate has adopted the conference committee report on Senate bill No. 13 by the following vote: Yeas 28, nays 0.

Respectfully,
BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

PROVIDING FOR LEGISLATIVE UNEMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE.

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time,

S. C. R. No. 14, Relating to the unemployment situation and suggesting measures for relief.

Whereas, The general unrest in our economic system today is largely one of unemployment which is very widespread and growing constantly worse each day; and

Whereas, We desire to avoid the dole system toward which we are gravitating; and

Whereas, Some action seems to be justifiable by governmental bodies which will bring about permanent relief and benefits; and

Whereas, That considerable suffering and want will be brought about under existing conditions of unemployment which will be further ag-

gravated by the approaching winter months; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That it is the sense of the Legislature of the State of Texas that a committee to be known as the Legislative Unemployment Committee, be appointed to make a survey of existing conditions of unemployment with the view of making recommendations for the use of all labor possible in the construction of public improvements, and for aiding employers in private industry to devise ways and means of spreading employment; and that said committee be authorized to call upon existing State and reputable agencies to co-operate in gathering data upon which practical recommendations may be based; said committee to consist of three members appointed by the President of the Senate, three members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and three members appointed by the Governor; and said membership to be drawn from representative departments of the government, representative industries and professions; that the State Commissioner of Labor be made secretary of said committee, and that he be required to do all correspondence and clerical work for the committee; that the sum of \$750 for the remainder of the fiscal year ending August 31, 1932, and \$500 for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1933, be appropriated as an emergency fund for printing, postage, the fund to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Labor as secretary of the committee; and that the committee known as the Governor's Committee for Employment be designated to act in an advisory capacity to the committee hereby created.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Reader offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend Senate concurrent resolution No. 14, by striking out all after the word "Committee" on lines 1, 2, and 3, from the bottom of page 1, and lines 1, 2, and 3, down to and including the word "Committee" on top of page 2.

The amendment was adopted.

The resolution as amended was then adopted.

RELATIVE TO UNITED STATES MONETARY SYSTEM.

Mr. Cunningham offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 21, Relative to United States monetary system.

Whereas, This Nation in 1913 adopted a monetary system, the most simple, direct, and efficient ever known to man, taking all our gold out of circulation and use as money, and concentrating it in the hands of the Federal Reserve Board, as a basis for the circulation of an elastic currency that would answer the expanding productive and trade demands of the United States; and,

Whereas, The said Federal Reserve Board, headed by the Hon. Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of the United States Treasury and ex-officio member and chairman of the said board, have seen fit to reduce the issuance of the said currency and medium of exchange of the United States from one billion thirty-one million dollars, on July 1, 1929, to one hundred and forty-eight million dollars, July 1, 1931, or to one-seventh the amount of currency and medium of exchange that we had two years ago, and have thereby reduced the values of all agricultural products in the United States more than 75 per cent; and,

Whereas, Such reduction in the price of all agricultural products has reduced the value of the lands, live stock, and business based on agriculture, below the bonded debt: school, road, municipal, county, State, and national; and,

Whereas, Such contraction of our medium of exchange—money—has so reduced the values of all industries and businesses, operated on a stock and bond basis, that stock values are destroyed, leaving only bond, the primary liens on the industries, valuable; and,

Whereas, The Federal Reserve Board's restrictions on the issuance of currency to meet the demands of production and commerce has stopped the song of the plow and the hum of the spindle, and made tramps of seven million Americans; and,

Whereas, This squeeze-out, by the Federal Reserve Board, has raised the value of bonds on every business in the land, which are the primary liens, 300 per cent, and made it im-

possible for the worker to pay for clothes and bread and meat for his wife and children; and,

Whereas, The present prices, if maintained, means the peonage of the American individual; and

Whereas, Such conditions are contrary and obnoxious to the primary purpose and fundamental principles of government of the United States and our Constitution and laws; be it

Resolved, That we, the Legislature of the State of Texas, call upon the sovereign voters throughout the United States, to arouse themselves to a full realization of the present conditions and the thing that has wrought those conditions—the Federal Reserve Board—into whose hands we have delivered the gold of the United States as a basis for the circulation of the money of the country, on which we are dependent as a medium of exchange to do the business of the United States; and we demand of the Federal Reserve Board the restoration to the agricultural and manufacturing and productive industries of the United States, the money and the medium of exchange necessary to transact the business of this country; and

That each member of the United States Congress from Texas, Andrew W. Mellon, and each member of the Federal Reserve Banking System be furnished with a copy hereof.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE APPOINTED ON SENATE BILL NO. 45.

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following conference committee on Senate bill No. 45: Messrs. Sanders, Metcalfe, Leonard, Adams of Jasper, and Savage.

REQUESTING GOVERNOR TO CALL SESSION IN JANUARY.

Mr. Laird offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The cotton acreage reduction bill was passed by this Legislature under the impression that a majority of the cotton-growing States would take similar action; and

Whereas, A week's time has now elapsed since its passage and no effort is being made to enact similar

legislation by any other State, except Mississippi, thus tending to show that three-fourths of the cotton-growing States are not going to enact cotton control legislation; and

Whereas, It would work an undue hardship upon the farmers of Texas to be restricted as to the amount that could be planted while other cotton-growing States are left free to plant an unlimited amount of cotton; therefore be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives urgently request Governor Ross S. Sterling to convene the Legislature in special session not later than January, 1932, for the purpose of repealing or amending the cotton acreage reduction bill passed by this Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, and such other measures as may be imperative at that time, if three-fourths of the cotton-growing States of these United States should fail to enact cotton reduction legislation before that time.

The resolution was read second time.

On motion of Mr. Olsen, further consideration of the resolution was postponed indefinitely.

RECESS.

On motion of Mr. Justiss, the House, at 11:20 o'clock a. m., took recess to 2 o'clock p. m., today.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The House met at 2 o'clock p. m., and was called to order by the Speaker.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON SENATE BILL NO. 34.

Mr. Moffett, chairman, submitted the following conference committee report on Senate bill No. 34:

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.

Hon. Edgar E. Witt, President of the Senate, and Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, your conference committee on Senate bill No. 34, have had same under consideration and have adjusted the difference between the House and Senate, and recommend

the passage of the hereto attached bill, which is made a part of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

POAGE,
BECK,
LOY,
ONEAL,

On the part of the Senate.

MOFFETT,
HUBBARD,
MORSE,
TURNER,
PATTERSON,

On the part of the House.

A BILL

To Be Entitled

"An Act requiring all public warehousemen to issue receipts, containing in addition to the information now required by Article 5570, of the Statutes of this State, a statement of the class and staple of the cotton represented by the receipt, said class and staple to have been determined by a public cotton classer, licensed as required by law; prescribing the fees that may be charged for such information; providing for temporary receipts in certain cases; providing for the exchange of such temporary receipts; and providing penalty and forfeiture of certificate for neglectful failure to carry out the provisions of this act; and declaring an emergency."

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. From and after the passage of this act, it shall be the duty of every owner, proprietor, lessee, and manager of any public warehouse, whether an individual, firm or corporation to, upon delivery to him of any cotton, and upon the request of the owner of said cotton, said warehouseman shall issue a public warehouse receipt therefor, which receipt shall contain in addition to the information now required by Article 5570 of the Statutes of this State, a statement of the grade and staple of the cotton represented by the receipt, said grade and staple to have been determined by a public cotton classer, licensed as required by law, for which statement of grade and staple the warehouseman shall not collect any charge in excess of twenty-five cents (25c) per bale; provided, however, that in event no public cotton classer, licensed as required by law, is avail-

able at any public warehouse, the warehouseman shall be authorized to issue a temporary receipt, which receipt need not contain the aforementioned statement of class and staple, and which shall have the words "temporary receipt" plainly stamped across the face thereof; and which receipt shall be exchangeable at any time after five (5) days after its date of issuance for a permanent warehouse receipt, containing all of the information afore required.

Sec. 2. Any warehouseman who shall fail or neglect to comply with any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of the violation of law contemplated in Article 5569 of the Revised Statutes of this State, and upon proof of such failure or neglect shall be deemed liable to revocation of his certificate by any court of competent jurisdiction as provided in the aforementioned article.

Sec. 3. The fact that the cotton-raising farmers of the State of Texas are now in distressed financial condition, and that there are now no adequate facilities available, whereby they may become informed as to the authentic classification of their product; and the further fact that such information will be of great value to them in marketing their product and securing loans against it; and that such information will stimulate and encourage the raising of better quality of cotton, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days shall be suspended, and said rule is hereby suspended, and this act is to take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

On motion of Mr. Moffett, the report was adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT ON SENATE BILL NO. 45.

Mr. Sanders, chairman, submitted the following conference committee report on Senate bill No. 45:

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.

Hon. Edgar E. Witt, President of the Senate, and Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sirs: We, your conference commit-

tee on Senate bill No. 45, have had same under consideration, have adjusted the differences between the House and Senate, and recommend the passage of the hereto attached bill, which is made a part of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

HORNSBY,
NEAL,
BECK,
PARRISH,
SMALL,

On the part of the Senate.

SANDERS,
METCALFE,
LEONARD,
ADAMS of Jasper,
SAVAGE,

On the part of the House.

S. B. No. 45.

A BILL

To Be Entitled

"An Act making additional appropriations to pay salaries of judges, attorneys, and the support of the judiciary of this State for the fiscal years ending August 31, 1931, August 31, 1932, and August 31, 1933; and to pay blanket warrants issued by the State Comptroller to district judges, district and assist-

ant district attorneys, and court reporters for services rendered after the acts creating their respective offices became effective; and to make a supplemental appropriation to the Bureau of Labor Statistics for the fiscal year beginning September 1, 1931, and ending August 31, 1933, and declaring an emergency."

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the following sums of money or so much thereof as may be necessary be, and the same are hereby, appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay salaries of judges, attorneys, and the support of the judiciary of this State for the fiscal years ending August 31, 1931, August 31, 1932, and August 31, 1933; and to pay blanket warrants issued to district judges, district and assistant district attorneys, and court reporters for services rendered after the acts creating their respective offices became effective; and to supplement appropriations heretofore made to the Bureau of Labor Statistics for the fiscal years beginning September 1, 1931, and ending August 31, 1933.

For Fiscal Year Ending Aug. 31, 1931

To pay salaries and traveling expenses of the judges, district attorneys, and assistant district attorneys in Judicial Districts Nos. 32, 47, and 119, created by the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature.....	\$10,000.00
To pay salary of J. B. Forse for services as special judge in the First Supreme Judicial District.....	68.45
To pay salary of A. T. Blackshear for services as special judge in the First Supreme Judicial District.....	191.80
To pay salary of B. L. Russell, of Baird, Texas, for services as special judge in Eleventh Supreme Judicial District.....	160.00
To pay salary of W. M. Taylor, for services as special judge in the Fourteenth Judicial District.....	1,329.00
To pay salary of Roy Buckley, of Mission, Texas, for services as special judge in the Seventy-ninth Judicial District.....	369.63
To pay salary of Perry S. Robertson for services as special judge in the Seventy-third Judicial District.....	589.10
To pay salary of Robert W. B. Terrell for services as special judge in the Thirty-seventh Judicial District.....	780.90
To pay salary of W. S. Anthony for services as special judge in the Ninety-fourth Judicial District.....	685.00
Total	<u>\$14,173.88</u>

For the Fiscal Years Ending
Aug. 31, 1932 Aug. 31, 1933

To pay salaries of three district judges in Judicial Districts Nos. One Hundred and Twenty-three (123), One Hundred and Twenty-four (124), and One Hundred and Twenty-six (126).....	\$15,000.00	\$15,000.00
To pay expenses of district judges in Judicial Districts Nos. One Hundred and Twenty-three (123), One Hundred and Twenty-four (124), and One Hundred and Twenty-six (126), as provided by Article 6829.....	1,500.00	1,500.00
To pay salary of assistant district attorney in the Forty-seventh (47th) Judicial District.....	3,000.00	3,000.00
To pay blanket warrants issued to district judges, attorneys, and court reporters for services rendered after the act creating their respective offices became effective.....	856.69	
To purchase thirty volumes of Texas Criminal Reports for Fifty-fourth District Court.....	150.00	
For postage, stationery, and miscellaneous items for Bureau of Labor Statistics.....	500.00	500.00
Total	\$21,006.69	\$20,000.00
Grand Total		\$55,180.57

Provided no payment herein provided for shall exceed the amount fixed by the statutes or the Constitution for such services.

Sec. 2. The fact that no appropriations have been made for carrying out the provisions of the acts creating such courts and offices, and the urgent necessity for providing such funds, and the fact that this special session of the Legislature may soon adjourn, create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and the same is hereby suspended, and that this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

On motion of Mr. Sanders the report was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.
Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has adopted

H. C. R. No. 32, Authorizing the manager of the Prison System to adjust the salaries of certain prison employees.

H. C. R. No. 33, Permitting the board for leasing of Texas prison lands to lease certain prison lands.

S. C. R. No. 16, Rescinding their action on sine die adjournment.

The Senate has concurred in House amendments to Senate concurrent resolution No. 14 by a viva voce vote.

The Senate has adopted the conference committee report on the following bills:

Senate bill No. 34, by a viva voce vote.

Senate bill No. 45, by a viva voce vote.

Respectfully,

BOB BARKER,

Secretary of the Senate.

RELATIVE TO ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE.

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 16, Providing for adjournment sine die.

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That the sine die resolution for adjournment, Tuesday, September 29, 1931, at 6 p. m., be, and the same is hereby, rescinded, and that date of adjournment of Second Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature

be fixed for Friday, October 2, 1931, at 6 p. m.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. West of Cameron moved a call of the House for the purpose of maintaining a quorum pending consideration of Senate concurrent resolution No. 16, and the call was duly ordered.

The Speaker then directed the Doorkeeper to close the main entrance to the Hall, and instructed the Sergeant-at-Arms to lock all other doors leading from the Hall, and stated that no member would be permitted to leave the Hall without written permission from the Speaker.

On motion of Mr. Young, the Sergeant-at-Arms was instructed to bring in all absent members within the city who are not ill.

The roll was called, and a quorum was announced present.

Mr. Farmer offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend Senate concurrent resolution No. 16 by striking out "Friday, October 2," and inserting "Wednesday, October 7."

Mr. West of Coryell offered the following substitute for the amendment by Mr. Farmer:

Amend Senate concurrent resolution No. 16 by striking out "Friday, October 2, 1931" and insert "Saturday, October 3, 1931."

WEST of Coryell,
JOHNSON of Dimmit.

Mr. Morse moved the previous question on the pending amendments and the resolution, and the main question was ordered.

Question first recurring on the substitute amendment by Mr. Johnson of Dimmit, it was adopted.

The amendment as substituted was then adopted.

Question recurring on the resolution as amended, yeas and nays were demanded.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—72.

Mr. Speaker.	Carpenter.
Anderson.	Caven.
Barron.	Coltrin.
Beck.	Cox of Lamar.
Brice.	Cox of Limestone.
Burns	Donnell.
of McCulloch.	Dowell.

Dunlap.	Lilley.
Dwyer.	McCombs.
Engelhard.	Magee.
Farmer.	Metcalf.
Farrar.	Moffett.
Forbes.	Moore.
Ford.	Munson.
Fuchs.	Olsen.
Gilbert.	Petsch.
Giles.	Ratliff.
Graves.	Ray.
Grogan.	Reader.
Hanson.	Rogers.
Harman.	Rountree.
Hatchitt.	Sanders.
Hill.	Savage.
Hines.	Shelton.
Holder.	Smith of Bastrop.
Holland.	Sparkman.
Hoskins.	Stephens.
Howsley.	Steward.
Hubbard.	Towery.
Johnson	Turner.
of Dimmit.	Veatch.
Jones of Shelby.	Wagstaff.
Justiss.	Weinert.
Kennedy.	West of Coryell.
Laird.	West of Cameron.
Lemens.	Wyatt.
Leonard.	Young.

Nays—28.

Adams of Jasper.	Johnson of Morris.
Adkins.	Kayton.
Baker.	Lasseter.
Brooks.	Lockhart.
Burns of Walker.	Long.
Cunningham.	McDougald.
Elliott.	McGregor.
Fisher.	Mathis.
Goodman.	Morse.
Hardy.	Nicholson.
Harrison	Patterson.
of Waller.	Sherrill.
Hefley.	Stevenson.
Holloway.	Walker.
Johnson of Dallam.	

Present—Not Voting.

Akin.	Jones of Atascosa.
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Absent.

Alsup.	Murphy.
Coombes.	O'Quinn.
Dodd.	Pope.
Finn.	Ramsey.
Greathouse.	Richardson.
Harrison	Satterwhite.
of El Paso.	Scott.
Herzik.	Smith of Wood.
Hughes.	Strong.
Jackson.	Sullivant.
Keller.	Tarwater.
McGill.	Terrell
Martin.	of Cherokee.
Mehl.	Warwick.

Absent—Excused.

Adams of Harris.	Davis.
Adamson.	DeWolfe.
Albritton.	Duvall.
Bedford.	Ferguson.
Bond.	Lee.
Bounds.	Terrell
Boyd.	of Val Verde.
Bradley.	Van Zandt.
Bryant.	Vaughan.
Claunch.	Westbrook.
Dale.	Wiggs.
Daniel.	

Reason for Vote.

The reason for voting for sine die adjournment to go over to 3rd of October, was to save expense of re-organization.

HANSON.

RELATIVE TO POST-SESSION
CLERICAL WORK.

Mr. McCombs moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution relative to post-session clerical work was adopted, and asked to have the motion to reconsider spread on the Journal.

RESOLUTIONS SIGNED BY THE
SPEAKER.

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House, after giving due notice thereof, and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled resolutions:

S. C. R. No. 16, Providing for adjournment sine die.

H. C. R. No. 32, Authorizing the Prison Board to pay salary of certain employees.

H. C. R. No. 33, Relative to drilling for oil on prison farms.

H. C. R. No. 15, Relative to spread of Johnson grass.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

A messenger from the Governor appeared at the bar of the House, and, being duly announced, presented the following message from the Governor, which was read to the House, as follows:

Executive Office,

Austin, Texas, September 28, 1931.

To the Members of the Forty-second Legislature:

I submit to you for your consideration the subject of amending House bill No. 943, Chapter 159 of the

Special Laws of the Forty-second Legislature, as amended by House bill No. 37, Chapter 31 of the General and Special Laws of the First Called Session of the Forty-second Legislature, repealing closed season for killing quail in Atascosa county.

Respectfully submitted,
R. S. STERLING,
Governor.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.

Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has concurred in House amendment to Senate concurrent resolution No. 16, by the following vote: Yeas 16, nays 9.

Respectfully,
BOB BARKER,
Secretary of the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE.

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.

Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: I am directed by the Senate to inform the House that the Senate has passed

H. B. No. 90, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 2818, Revised Statutes of 1925, by providing for the distribution and use of the county available school funds in county line districts derived from the separate counties of which such districts are a part; repealing all laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 66, A bill to be entitled "An Act to declare a closed season on the killing of prairie chickens in Brazoria and Matagorda counties for a period of five years, and declaring an emergency."

H. B. No. 67, A bill to be entitled "An Act prohibiting any person to place, set, use, drag, or have in his possession any seine, net, or other device for catching fish and shrimp, other than the ordinary pole and line, casting rod and reel, artificial bait, trot line, set line, or cast net or minnow seine of not more than twenty feet in length, for catching bait within waters between Padre Island and

the mainland in Kleberg and Kenedy counties, and on back bays and inlets and that part of Laguna Madre within said counties, and providing for a fine of not less than twenty-five (25) dollars nor more than one hundred (100) dollars on first conviction and not less than one hundred (100) dollars nor more than two hundred (200) dollars on subsequent convictions and cancellation of fisherman's license or dealer's license or both for violation of this act, and further providing for the seizure by the Game, Fish, and Oyster Commissioner of Texas or his deputy, of nets, seines, or other tackle as evidence, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully,
BOB BARKER,
 Secretary of the Senate.

COMMITTEE REPORT ON SENATE BILL NO. 35.

Committee Room,
 Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.
 Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the
 House of Representatives.

Sir: We, your Committee on Judicial Districts, to whom was referred Senate bill No. 35, have had same under consideration, and beg to report back with recommendation that it do pass, and be printed.

HINES, Vice-Chairman.

ADJOURNMENT.

Mr. Hardy moved that the House adjourn until 9 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Mr. Johnson of Dimmit moved that the House recess to 9 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

The motion of Mr. Hardy prevailed, and the House, accordingly, at 5:40 o'clock p. m., today, adjourned until 9 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

APPENDIX.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS.

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills as follows:

Judicial Districts: Senate bill No. 35.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS.

Committee Room,
 Austin, Texas, September 28, 1931.
 Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the
 House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 84, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 619, Penal Code of 1925, relating to keeping a gaming table or bank, so as to omit reference therein to slot machines, and making it a misdemeanor to keep or exhibit any slot or vending machine for the purpose of gaming, and defining the same; prescribing penalties for a violation thereof; declaring the existence of any slot or vending machine to be against public policy and a public nuisance; declaring the existence of any lottery or raffle to be against public policy and a public nuisance; providing for the seizure and destruction as a nuisance of any slot or vending machine, or any lottery or raffle; and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly engrossed.

JUSTISS, Chairman.

Committee Room,
 Austin, Texas, September 28, 1931.
 Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the
 House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 55, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 3 of the General Laws, Forty-first Legislature, Fourth Called Session, and declaring an emergency,"

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly engrossed.

JUSTISS, Chairman.

REPORTS OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS.

Committee Room,
 Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.
 Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the
 House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 18, Relative to map of Brazoria county,

Have carefully compared same and find it correctly enrolled.

BOUNDS, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.
Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 15, Relative to growth
of Johnson grass along highways,

Have carefully compared same and
find it correctly enrolled.

COX of Lamar, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.
Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 32, Relative to pay of
the secretary of the general man-
agers of the Prison Board,

Have carefully compared same and
find it correctly enrolled.

BOUNDS, Vice-Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, September 29, 1931.
Hon. Fred H. Minor, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled
Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 33, Relative to leasing
of lands by the State Prison Board,

Have carefully compared same and
find it correctly enrolled.

BOUNDS, Vice Chairman.

FOURTEENTH DAY.

(Wednesday, September 30, 1931.)

The House met at 9 o'clock a. m.,
pursuant to adjournment, and was
called to order by Speaker Minor.

The roll was called and developed
the fact that there was not a quorum
present.

Mr. Sanders moved a call of the
House for the purpose of securing a
quorum, and the call was duly
ordered.

The Speaker then directed the Door-
keeper to close the main entrance to
the Hall, and instructed the Sergeant-
at Arms to lock all other doors lead-
ing from the Hall, and stated that
no member would be permitted to
leave the Hall without written per-
mission from the Speaker.

On motion of Mr. Sanders, the

Sergeant-at-Arms was instructed to
bring in all absent members within
the city who are not ill.

The roll was again called, and the
following members were present:

Mr. Speaker.	Johnson
Adams of Jasper.	of Dimmit.
Adkins.	Johnson of Morris.
Akin.	Jones of Shelby.
Anderson.	Jones of Atascosa.
Baker.	Justiss.
Barron.	Kennedy.
Beck.	Laird.
Bounds.	Lasseter.
Brice.	Lemens.
Brooks.	Leonard.
Burns of Walker.	Lilley.
Burns	Lockhart.
of McCulloch.	Long.
Carpenter.	McCombs.
Caven.	McDougald.
Cox of Lamar.	McGregor.
Cox of Limestone.	Magee.
Cunningham.	Mathis.
DeWolfe.	Mehl.
Donnell.	Metcalfe.
Dowell.	Moffett.
Dunlap.	Moore.
Dwyer.	Morse.
Elliott.	Nicholson.
Engelhard.	Olsen.
Farmer.	O'Quinn.
Farrar.	Petsch.
Ferguson.	Ramsey.
Fisher.	Ratliff.
Forbes.	Ray.
Ford.	Reader.
Fuchs.	Rogers.
Gilbert.	Rountree.
Giles.	Sanders.
Goodman.	Savage.
Graves.	Shelton.
Grogan.	Sherrill.
Hanson.	Sparkman.
Hardy.	Stephens.
Harrison	Stevenson.
of Waller.	Steward.
Hatchitt.	Turner.
Hefley.	Vaughan.
Hill.	Veatch.
Hines.	Wagstaff.
Holder.	Walker.
Holland.	Weinert.
Holloway.	West of Coryell.
Hoskins.	West of Cameron.
Howsley.	Wyatt.
Hubbard.	Young.
Johnson of Dallam.	

Absent.

Boyd.	Finn.
Claunch.	Herzik.
Coltrin.	Jackson.
Daniel.	Kayton.
Dodd.	Martin.